

House Resolution No. 503

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to recognize Joe Phillip Protenic of Troop 314, who will receive the prestigious Eagle Scout Award during a Court of Honor ceremony to be held March 9, 2003, at Platte Woods United Methodist Church; and

Whereas, Joe Protenic earned the praise and respect of many for the enthusiasm and initiative he displayed in regard to his Eagle Project which involved the construction of a 4' x 6' shed at a house in Liberty built by Habitat For Humanity; and

Whereas, during his many years in the Scouting program, Joe Protenic earned the required number of merit badges and participated in a five-day canoe trip, during which time he greatly enjoyed the Sunday morning worship service on the river and the steak dinner he and his Troop shared during the first night of the trip; and

Whereas, Joe Protenic has readily prepared himself for the challenges of the outside world through the leadership positions he has held with his Troop, which were designed to teach Scouts strength of character, the ability to make prudent decisions, and the values and importance of good citizenship; and

Whereas, listed in Who's Who Among American High School Students, Joe Protenic is a senior at Park Hill High School where he is a Team Mentor and member of the National Honor Society and the Wrestling Team; and

Whereas, Joe Protenic is a remarkable young man whose musical skill and ability have been showcased in the Marching and Symphonic bands and the All-District Band; and

Whereas, born on September 23, 1984, Joe Protenic has achieved all of this and more with the love, support, and encouragement he has continually received from his proud parents, Glen and Theresa Protenic, and his older brother, Ed:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, unanimously join in extending our most hearty congratulations to Joe Protenic at this proud moment of well-deserved distinction, and in wishing him only the very best as he continues to uphold the Scouting tradition with both honor and decorum; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Eagle Scout Joe Phillip Protenic.

Offered by _____
Representative Susan C. Phillips
District No. 32

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 503, adopted February 26, 2003.

Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker